EXPEDITE QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Are bidders now required to use Expedite on all bids submitted?
Starting with the June 27 letting, Expedite bid files will be the only bid files made available. The Hwy Bid files can still be supplied if needed, and will be project specific.
Staring with the July 25 Letting, Hwy Bid files will no longer be available.

If we use Expedite do we also have to fill out all the information in the proposal?
All necessary documents are now contained in the Expedite bid packet and can take the place of that same document from the original bidding proposal. Nothing in the Expedite bid packet has to be incorporated into the proposal.

Will there be any training for the contractors provided by the KYTC?
Yes, Several training sessions Have taken place.
More training will be scheduled on an as needed basis.

It appears that KYDOT is not linked up with Bid Express service provider, but rather that KYDOT Expedite data will be downloaded directly from the KYDOT website. Is that correct?
KYTC is not using Bid Express, The bid items will be posted to the Website & will require the bidder to download each project separately. KYTC will still require the Electronic version to be turned in with the paper printout of the bid (either on a floppy disc or CD)

What is the KYDOT user ID.? In Indiana that user ID is the contractor's Federal ID#.   Is that the same for KYDOT?
Your KYTC user Id is your 5 digit Vendor # on your prequalification certificate, NOT your federal ID#.

Will unique KYDOT digital signatures be required in the same manner as INDOT? If so, can the same digital signatures used for INDOT also be used for KYDOT?
No, Electronic signatures are not being used at this time; the bidder fills out the information in Expedite program to be printed in the bid packet, then sign in the designated places after the bid packet has been printed.

How will the Bid Bond (and/or Performance Bond) be handled? Will the Bid Bond be verified electronically? If the Bid Bond is provided and/or verified, will a separate Performance Bond need to be presented at the time of the bid?In Expedite the bidder chooses either a bid bond, certified or cashiers check. There is an acceptable bid bond attached in the bid packet, or the original one on the website can still be used.

Is there any specific instructions/information regarding the use of Expedite Software and electronic bidding specific to KYDOT available on the website? There are not any instructions posted at this time but we hope to have something available soon.
The instruction pages are posted as of 3-14-2008 in the Expedite tab under resources on the web page.

Where will the Expedite addendums be posted? And how will they be labeled?
The changes will be posted to the same location directly above the original bid file.
The difference will be the extension on the file name. Bid files have a **.EBS** extension & the addendums will have a numeric extension **.001, .002** etc. corresponding to the addendum #